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In re Application of :
Richardson et al. : DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 08/925,208 :
Filed: September 8, 1997 :
Attorney Docket No. GJ-195J :
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This is a decision on the petition filed June 3, 2003, requesting that the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application be withdrawn and the application forwarded for processing of the Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) as set forth in the decision granting the petition to withdraw from issue mailed September 9, 1999.

The petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment is **MOOT**.

A review of the application file reveals that the application was not forwarded to Technology Center 2800 for processing of the CPA as set forth in the decision to withdraw the above-identified application from issue pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.313 (b)(5). The application is not abandoned in fact.

The \$130.00 petition fee is unnecessary. The request for refund must be submitted in writing to the Office of Finance and accompanied by a copy of this decision.

The application file is being forwarded to the technical support staff for processing the Response and Amendments. From there, it will be returned to the examiner for further prosecution.

Questions regarding this decision should be directed to Jose' G. Dees at (571) 272-1569.



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